

TITLE ADVERSARIES IN
A REALLY SERIOUS DUEL.Baron de Rothschild Rips Open the Arm of
Count de Lubersac and Averages
an Insult.Sixteen Desperate Engagements in the Battle With Swords,
Which Terminates Only When a Serious Wound Is
Inflicted and Seconds Interfere.

Paris, Jan. 20.—The long-expected duel between the Count de Lubersac and Baron de Rothschild was fought with swords at 11 o'clock this morning on Baron de Rothschild's estate, at Boulogne, near Paris. The carriage, with the principals, seconds, doctors and a few friends, arrived there from Paris shortly before 11 o'clock. Count de Lubersac's seconds were M. Schepman and Count de La Borde; and those of Baron de Rothschild were Baron Leconte and Viscount de Bondy.

The duel began at 11 and lasted ten minutes, when Count de Lubersac received a huge, perforating his arm at the elbow to the armpit. The duel was then stopped. Both the Count and the Baron fought most determinedly, neither flinching, and neither showed the slightest desire to spare the other. Sixteen engagements took place, all of a desperate character. The combatants struck each other furiously. The sleeves of their shirts were literally torn to pieces by the points of their swords as the duellists repeatedly lunged at each other. Several times they came to close quarters, and their seconds were obliged to separate them, sword enters at elbow and issues at the armpit.

At the sixteenth onslaught Baron de Rothschild lunged at the Count, who tried to parry, but failed, and the Baron's sword penetrated his arm, just above the elbow and issued at the armpit. The spectators hastened around the wounded man and two well-known physicians, Doctors Berger and Poirier, examined the wound. They declared the Count's life was not in danger, but it was impossible to continue the duel. Count de Lubersac was then driven back to Paris.

Baron de Rothschild is still performing military service with the Fifty-fourth Regiment of Infantry, in garrison at Compiegne. He only attained his majority yesterday, and lost no time in settling his account with Count de Lubersac.

DEATH TAKES FATHER AND
DAUGHTER THE SAME DAY.Aged Pasquales Rebori's End Hastened by News That His Be-
loved Child, Mrs. Maude Klee, Had Succumbed After
Months of Suffering—They Will Be Buried Together.PASQUALES REBORI.
Father of Mrs. Klee, who died, heart broken, four hours after his daughter had passed away.

Within the brief span of four hours death twice visited the home of the Rebori family, No. 2514 Thomas street, yesterday.

At 6 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Maude Marie Klee, whose maiden name was Rebori, passed away, after six months of suffering. At 10 o'clock, Pasquales Rebori, 60 years old, father of Mrs. Klee, heartbroken by the news of his daughter's demise, closed his eyes in the last sleep.

Mrs. Klee was the wife of Edward Klee, a druggist, formerly of this city, but who recently removed his business to Kansas City. It had been planned that Mrs. Klee should, in company with her husband, change residence to Kansas City. But, last August, Mrs. Klee, who had never previously suffered an hour's illness, became sick. The proposed removal had to be abandoned and Mrs. Klee entered St. John's Hospital. An operation was necessary, and she never recovered from its effects.

After four months at the hospital it became evident that she could not live. She then expressed a desire to be removed to her home. This was done. For the last week she had been at the point of death and in agony.

Pasquales Rebori was deeply attached to Mrs. Klee. Her continued sufferings were a torture to him, so much so that his grief sapped his hitherto robust frame. He was continually at his daughter's side, and when

MRS. MAUDE MARIE KLEE.
Who died yesterday after six months of sickness.

It became certain that death was imminent he remained at the sick bed day and night. Last Wednesday he caught a severe cold, but continued his vigil. Saturday, however, Doctor P. J. O'Reilly, the family physician, absolutely ordered that the father take to his bed. In the face of this Mr. Rebori could not resist.

Yesterday morning, after Mrs. Klee had breathed her last, an attempt was made to prevent the news from reaching the father. But the tear-stained faces of the rest of the family, as they attended the senior Rebori told the story.

"Ma Maude died?" asked Mr. Rebori of the latter, seeing that he had heard of her death. "Yes, she is sleeping with Jesus," "After that," said Mrs. Rebori to a reporter, "I felt as if I had lost my life. He simply crossed his hands over his breast and closed his eyes. Finally, at 9 o'clock, I heard him murmur, 'I am content.' After that he never spoke, and at 10 o'clock he died."

The bodies of father and daughter were laid out side by side in the parlor of the Rebori home. Many friends of the family called at the house yesterday to express their sympathy to the stricken family and to say a prayer over the coffin of the deceased child.

The double funeral will be held Tuesday from the funeral home of J. F. Wier and daughter will be buried side by side in Calvary Cemetery. Eight children and his wife survive Pasquales Rebori.

AKINS DEMANDS HIS
SHARE OF SPOILS.Goes to Washington to Arrange
for Division of the Federal
Patronage.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Washington, Jan. 20.—State Chairman Akins of the Missouri Republican Committee reached this city this evening. He will remain several days, and his principal business is to confer with Secretary Hitchcock in regard to Federal patronage. He wants, it is said, an understanding as to the manner in which Missouri offices will be distributed after March—the extent to which his endorsement will control, regardless of the wishes of Colonel R. C. Keene.

ELEVEN OF SHIP'S
CREW PERISHED.British Vessel Moel Tryvan
Foundered and Sank in Chan-
nel—But Seven Were Saved.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Cherbourg, Jan. 20.—The British four-masted ship Moel Tryvan has foundered in the channel. Seven out of a crew of eighteen were saved. They were picked up while clinging to the keel of one of the ship's boats and were landed here.

ANARCHIST PLOT
TO KILL AMERICANS.Greek Selected as Executioner
Weakens at Last Moment and
Betrays His Companions.

ARRESTS BY NEW YORK POLICE.

Secret Society With Branch in
This Country Imports Murderer
to Do Its Bidding—Penalty
for Disobeying.

New York, Jan. 20.—Elias Masurans, a Greek, the complainant in an assault case which came before City Judge Kellors of Yorkers, N. Y., this morning, told a startling tale of a plot of Greek anarchists to kill prominent Americans, and would have told more had the court not stopped him and then turned him over to the police that they might quietly investigate the case. Several arrests have already been made and others planned.

On the stand Masurans said that in Greece he had been a member of an anarchist society. Some time ago he fell to his lot to kill a public man in the United States and he was ordered to come to this country and place himself under the orders of the American branch of the society. He never heard the name of the man whom he was to murder, and understood that, as in other cases, the man who was to be the victim was to be selected after his arrival in this country.

Weakens and Betrays Companions.
After reaching America, Masurans, according to his own story, went to New York and affiliated himself with a branch of the organization there, as was usually done in New York. Finally he became frightened, withdrew and refused to carry out the mission entrusted to him. From the time he left the organization he claims he was annoyed and threatened by members of the society. He remained firm in his determination not to obey the orders, however, and yesterday six of the men came here and begged him to return. When he still refused, one of the six, which one he could not say, attempted to stab him. The blow was aimed too high, however.

Masurans was apparently willing to tell more about the society, but Judge Kellors adjourned the hearing and committed the prisoner to jail pending further examination. Masurans was examined by the police, and as a result the warrants were issued. Joseph and James Kiptaukas and Frank Heatsig were arrested by the police. One other New Yorker and two New Yorkers are named on other warrants, and the police are searching for them.

The police assert that they believe the story told by Masurans, and they say that the affair had to do with the discovery of an anarchist band of a dangerous character. Masurans was apparently willing to tell more about the society, but Judge Kellors adjourned the hearing and committed the prisoner to jail pending further examination. Masurans was examined by the police, and as a result the warrants were issued. Joseph and James Kiptaukas and Frank Heatsig were arrested by the police. One other New Yorker and two New Yorkers are named on other warrants, and the police are searching for them.

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of Police Station.

QUICKLY CHANGED HIS MIND.

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gles for Breath and Cut Him
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tained Any Injury.

Deeply chagrined over his arrest, Frank Meyer, while a prisoner at the Third District Police Station, attempted suicide at 2 o'clock yesterday morning by hanging himself to an iron bar in his cell with his suspenders.

Frank Mahon, the turnkey, discovered him at 2 o'clock, cut him down before he sustained any injury.

Meyer is a cook on the Big Four Railroad, running on a dining car out of St. Louis to the East. He lives at No. 1005 Calhoun avenue. On Saturday afternoon he was arrested on complaint of Tony Stennella, a next door neighbor, who preferred a charge of disturbing the peace against him. Stennella said that Meyer was drunk and was making a loud noise. Meyer was taken to the Souldard Street Station and locked up.

About 2 o'clock the following morning Turnkey Mahon's attention was attracted by some one who was evidently struggling for breath. On investigation he found Meyer swinging to an iron bar of his cell at the end of a rope, made of his suspenders. Mahon quickly cut him down and he was right in a moment. Meyer said he would not repeat the attempt and he was forwarded to the Four Courts with all the other prisoners a few minutes afterwards.

Meyer stated yesterday that his desire to die all passed away in the few moments of agony while hanging in his cell. He said he was under the influence of liquor, and the excitement occasioned by his first arrest caused him to try to take his life. He was never in any trouble before, he asserted.

BOY COMES TO
CHILDREN'S RESCUE.Checks a Runaway Team Which
Was Bearing Down on Crowd
of Little Ones.George Jansen, 17 years old, of No. 2623
Virginia avenue, performed a heroic feat
in capturing a runaway team of horses on
horseback yesterday afternoon.

A team belonging to Paul Buell of No. 2623 Cherokee street took flight at Jefferson avenue and Cherokee street at 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and as Buell leaped from the vehicle, the team started down the street as fast as it could run toward a crowd of children which had gathered. Jansen, who was mounted on a pony, saw the danger and galloped after the team. He caught one of the horses by the bridle and turned the team into Arsenal street. They ran west to Iowa avenue, where he turned them into Cherokee street, and thence back to the starting point, where he guided them into a lumber yard. The vehicle was badly damaged, but no one was injured.

Buell complimented young Jansen on his pluck.

J. M. SEIBERT WILL
TAKE CHARGE TO-DAY.Appointment as Excise Commis-
sioner of St. Louis Is to Be
Only Temporary.

SLATED FOR ANOTHER OFFICE.

He Will Be Made Insurance Com-
missioner as Soon as Governor
Dockery Is Ready to Ap-
point a St. Louisan.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.
Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 20.—James Monroe Seibert, former State Auditor of Missouri, will to-morrow take charge temporarily of the office of Excise Commissioner in St. Louis.

He will hold the office only temporarily. Later he is to be appointed Superintendent of Insurance, which office he is to retain permanently. This is the plan formed by Governor Dockery.

"Upon my request," said Governor Dockery to-night, "Mr. James M. Seibert will to-morrow assume temporarily the duties of Excise Commissioner of the city of St. Louis."

"It is impossible at this time, in view of the press of other public business, to give to the St. Louis situation the attention its importance demands."

"This appointment, as stated, is only temporary. It being my purpose at an early day to appoint Mr. Seibert Superintendent of Insurance. All local political offices in St. Louis and other cities will be filled with the names of Democrats who are honest, capable, reputable and zealous in promoting Democratic principles."

"Mr. Seibert's appointment is prompted by business considerations of a public character affecting solely the discharge of the duties of the office of Excise Commissioner. The State administration will in no wise coincide with or attempt to interfere with the duties of the Excise Commissioner. I do not desire and will not have a personal political machine."

Governor Dockery's action leaves the position of Excise Commissioner in St. Louis open to be filled with a St. Louisan later when the stress of business incident to the opening of a new administration has relaxed somewhat. The resignation of Mr. Seibert to the office of Excise Commissioner will relieve Governor Dockery of the present necessity of making a hasty selection of a St. Louisan to fill the important place. Seibert's appointment to the place of Excise Commissioner is like that of G. Y. Creasbaw to the office of private secretary, an appointment "ad interim."

Seibert's record of more than sixteen years in public life in Missouri in the most important State positions in the gift of the people is a long and honorable one. He has qualified himself to deal successfully with the situation in St. Louis. He thinks much, speaks little, observes closely and sustains his position with a firmness and consistency with which he was closely associated in the last campaign as chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

JOHN C. LEBENS.

The exclusive announcement in yesterday's Republican that Governor Dockery had decided to appoint James M. Seibert, Excise Commissioner of the City of St. Louis, to the position of Superintendent of Insurance, was a surprise to many political circles yesterday.

On all sides it was conceded that, so far as personal and intellectual considerations were concerned, the appointment was a sound one. The majority, however, were of the opinion that inasmuch as the office pertains wholly to local affairs, the Governor should have selected some man from the city for the place. The idea of a temporary appointment to the office of Excise Commissioner, and the general impression was that the Governor had made a mistake in the selection of Mr. Seibert. It would be time enough to talk after they were positive of the facts.

While this opinion generally obtained, there were not a few who felt that, in view of Seibert's service to the party in the last campaign, he was entitled to almost any office he desired. The Governor's decision to discuss the matter one way or the other, exciting themselves on the ground that it would be time enough to talk after they were positive of the facts.

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ARCHAICAL MEANS RESORTED TO
TO KEEP QUEEN VICTORIA ALIVE.

Windsor Castle, the royal residence of the rulers of England, at which the Emperor of Germany was Congruor and restored by Queen Victoria.

Royal Family Assembled at
Bedside and End Momen-
tarily Expected.

RALLY HOPED FOR AT 5 A. M.

If It Does Not Come the Aged
Ruler May Not Live
Through the Day.

POWER OF SPEECH IS LOST.

Paralysis Is Slowly Extending
Toward the Vital
Organs.

WALES IS NEAR COLLAPSE.

Condition of the Future King
Is Causing Much Appre-
hension.Covers, Isle of Wight, Jan. 21, 7:50
a. m.—The Queen is still alive, but all
hopes are gone.

SPECIAL BY CABLE.

London, Monday, Jan. 21, 5:30 a. m.—All London liars for the tolling of the great bell which hangs in St. Paul's Cathedral, and which, when the end comes, will forthwith ring out the toll, telling of the death of the Queen-Empress of Great Britain and India.

That the aged sovereign is in the shadow of death at this hour is indicated by the latest bulletin, dated at 4:30 a. m., fifteen minutes ago, at 5:15 o'clock this morning: "The members of the royal family are still gathered in a room adjoining the Queen's chamber, and had signified her desire that the end be expected at any moment."

Earlier dispatches from Osborne House reported that the royal family had gathered after midnight and that at 3 o'clock her death was expected at any moment.

It is hoped she will start for Osborne House at 5 o'clock. She had hoped previously that she might rally by 6 o'clock this morning. If she did, it was expected that she would live through the day. If she did not, it was expected that she would die.

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MEMBERS OF ROYAL FAMILY
AT BEDSIDE AWAITING THE END.

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THE DUKE OF YORK.
Who, on his father's elevation to the British throne, will become heir apparent and Prince of Wales.BULLETIN SHOWS
MALADY'S PROGRESS.

Osborne, Isle of Wight, Jan. 21, 11 a. m.—The following bulletin was telegraphed to the Queen's physicians this morning: "The Queen passed a somewhat restful night. There has been no material change in her condition since last report."

"REID."
At 4:30 p. m. the following announcement was made: "Her Majesty's strength has been fairly maintained throughout the day. Although no fresh developments have now taken place, the symptoms continue to cause anxiety and less night. There has been no material change in her condition since last report."

"JAMES REID."
The official bulletin issued at mid-night says that the Queen's condition is not improving, and that the symptoms are continuing to cause anxiety and less night. There has been no material change in her condition since last report."

phone, and, in excited tones, ordered him to stop the telegram. The royal entourage could not stop her. The Queen declared that she could not permit the awful war to continue another day. Her Majesty's condition is chiefly due to a sinking rapidly. The doctor of Whittingham, who was summoned and remains at the bedside, has been unable to do much. Her Majesty's condition is chiefly due to a sinking rapidly. The doctor of Whittingham, who was summoned and remains at the bedside, has been unable to do much.

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CONDITION OF PRINCE OF WALES
IS CAUSING MUCH APPREHENSION.

London, Jan. 21.—In the closing moments of Queen Victoria's life, another grave portent arose, namely, the serious indisposition of the Prince of Wales. So worried, tired and exhausted was he last evening that he could not respond immediately to the summons from Osborne House. The most he could do was to promise that he would leave London at 8 o'clock this morning, if possible.

It is worthy of note that, even to-day, the London papers do not mention the fact that the Prince of Wales has had a paralytic stroke.

Pages are devoted to the mournful scenes at Osborne House and to descriptions of occurrences here, as well as to telegrams from the colonies and foreign countries testifying to the sympathy everywhere evoked.

According to the Daily Telegraph, Emperor William, who has expressed a desire to be received at Osborne House, not as Emperor, but as grandson, said on hearing of the Queen's illness: "I am my grandmother's eldest grandson, and my mother is unable from illness to hasten to her bedside."

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